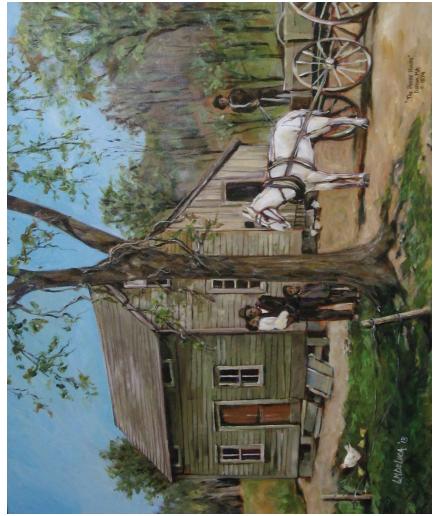


## About the Cover

In 2015, the Historical Commission's dream of restoring the Hoose House got underway. Constructed in 1846 and located at the intersection of Park Avenue and Gulf Road, this historic home is listed on the National Register of Historic Places as a distinctive example of a dwelling built for and occupied by African Americans in Dalton. The painting shown on the cover was based on an actual photograph taken about 1900. It was painted by Connecticut artist Linda DeLuca and made available through the generosity of owner Edward Holub.



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